

# LOYOLA

## ALUMNUS

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**President Robert Leclerc:**

### THE YEAR AHEAD:

#### Some Questions That Need Answers

In 1965 I graduated from Loyola College along with two hundred other people, all but a few of whom were young men. This year, ten years later, four times this number will graduate from the Loyola Campus of Concordia University with a significant portion of these comprising female students. The total day enrollment in the 1964-65 academic year was less than eight-hundred. It now amounts to 3,947 and when one adds the 10,479 evening students (fall and summer), the total student population is a number not dissimilar from the total student population of McGill University ten years ago.

The growth of Loyola College students taking university as opposed to CEGEP courses has increased at a rate which is much more pronounced than has been the case with McGill University. The total student population at what is now known as Concordia University amounts to 9,407, an astonishing number when one looks back ten years. The statistics are more significant when one reaches back twenty, thirty or forty years. I recall that when I graduated most of the Alumni whom I knew indicated they were surprised at the large number of students at Loyola and they had never dreamed it would become such a big institution. How strange that remark seems to-day!

The question we have to consider is whether and in what form our Association should continue to exist. Certainly it would be a waste and depletion of human resources to attempt to justify our continued existence on purely nostalgic grounds. This is not to be confused with having a program that includes golf tournaments, oyster parties, fashion shows and other events which are solely of an enter-

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### Party Scheduled for Class of '50

Marc Brault and organizing committee members, Rudy Dollfus, Paul Gallagher, Gerry McCarthy, Jim O'Shaughnessy, Marcel Sicard and Earl Wynands have made plans to hold a cocktail party and dinner on Friday, September 26, in Montreal for the Class of '50 and wives.

For further information on price and location contact Marc Brault at 255-7741, local 263.

Any other class years planning to hold reunions are invited to write or call the Alumni Office, 482-0320 local 402. We supply class lists and provide mailing of notices.

**Past President Ron Boucher:**

### THE YEAR IN REVIEW:

#### Problems, Solutions, Accomplishments

If I may, being the oldest active member on the Board, I would like to go back to lend my experience to reviewing the Board's ups and downs.

In the past, our Association has had many problems. I can remember past Presidents such as Brian Gallery saying that we would have to "look at the alternatives available to the Association so that the graduates both young and old will come to see that their Association is something in which they should take an active part and of which they can be truly proud". And Bill Pelton stating that "the problem we face is apathy; apathy from our members, apathy from our students, apathy within the community. We have had to cope with the indefinite future status of Loyola; we have financial problems; we have undertaken to redefine our role so as to make a fuller contribution to Loyola". And more recently Des Lartigue, referring to the amalgamation of Loyola and S.G.W.U., saying that "living in this vacuum has not been easy" and also stating that "this year a planning committee was established, comprised primarily of Past Presidents of the Association to give some thought to (a) the need for a Loyola Alumni Association and (b) the future of the Association".

I believe this Board has gone along way to solving many of these contentious issues. First and foremost, our financial structure is now on a solid basis due to the help and efforts of Stirling Dorrance and Al Ferrari.

The amalgamation of the two Universities has taken place and your Association not only will continue to exist but will, with your continued support, contribute to an even greater degree to the Loyola Campus. We still have apathy, however, I think

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## Boucher — cont'd.

this Board came to the conclusion that we will always have a majority of our members who want to be led. So the challenge in the coming years is Leadership.

I believe that your new Board will have even greater opportunities to contribute to this Loyola Community because all of the members have demonstrated leadership.

In closing, I would like to thank the members of this Board and the many friends who helped us during my Presidency. I would like to single out Mrs. Janice Deveau for the great contribution she has made in keeping us all informed. Without her, we would not have been as successful.

It is also my duty and indeed a privilege to review the 1974-75 Board's activities:

The first event was our Golf Tournament which was very successfully chaired by Bob Leclerc and assisted by Garry Brown. For the first time in memory, we made money.

The Special Fund Draw was chaired by your soon-to-be Past President and again through the able assistance of Mr. Jim Wilson and many others, we were able to supply the Association with sufficient funds to underwrite all social events as well as the Annual General Meeting.

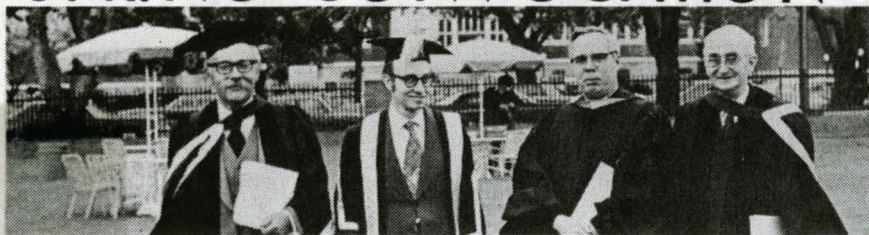
The Oyster Party was chaired by Dick Riendeau and although we had a deficit, it was certainly not through lack of effort on his part and the other members of the committee namely Bob Bourgault, Christina Murohy, and Richard Stock. I am confident that this year's party will attract a substantial number of Alumni.

The Bridges Series which is the matching up of undergraduates with business people, that will hopefully give them some insight into their chosen field, was chaired by Frank McNally. He was very ably assisted by Maggie Abony and Richard Stock. All in all, a very satisfactory program which I believe could be greatly improved (in numbers only) if the various undergraduate groups were to pitch in.

The Hall-of-Fame has a new Chairman, Dr. Larry Boyle. I thank him for his help. Although there was no induction ceremony, it is my understanding that there will be new inductees this fall. May I take this opportunity of publicly thanking on behalf of the Board, Dr. J. McMullan for his very able chairmanship in the past.

The Warriors Club is under the Presidency of Terry Pye with Danny

# SPRING CONVOCATION



Honorary degrees Doctor of Laws were conferred on (left to right) Myer Pollock, Reverend Patrick G. Malone, S.J. and Tony Walsh at the Convocation of the Loyola Faculty of Arts and Science, Concordia University. The three recipients are pictures with Dr. John O'Brien, Rector. (2nd to the left).

Six hundred and ten Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees were conferred at the first Spring Convocation of Concordia University's Faculty of Arts and Science,

Loyola Campus.

The Dean of Arts and Science is Dr. Russell W. Breen, former Loyola Dean of Arts.

McCann as Vice President, Frank McNally as Secretary and Bob Bourgault as Treasurer. They had a very busy and successful year with the All Star Team finishing second in the two outside tournaments they entered. Congratulations to all of you and thanks. I know we can count on your continued support and enthusiasm.

Bernie McCallum retired from the Association last summer, and on December 17th, 1974, we had a reception and presentation at my home for him. At that time he was presented with a colour television set and many of his friends were able to personally wish him much continued success.

The Past Presidents reception was held on May 8th, of this year at the Jesuit Residence and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking Father S. Dubas for having hosted this fine reception as well as Father Carroll for the first class refreshments as usual.

Our 1975 Fund Campaign Chairman is W. H. Wilson jr. Although the mail has been slow, you have received your first request for donations to your favourite cause at Loyola. You can expect that Mr. Wilson will see to it that you all give to the maximum of your ability.

The Wine & Cheese Party this year was cancelled due to a misunderstanding between the Association and the Campus Centre as well as the spiralling cost. Hopefully next year we will be able to continue this event.

The Student Loan Fund was again administered by Dr. Larry Boyle and Robert Bourgault. Thanks to them, we can safely say that the maximum amount of loans were made to the greatest number of students. I thank you both on behalf of the Board. I can assure you that we are counting on you again this year.

## Leclerc — cont'd.

tainment nature, I do not consider that the Association should have to make a determination today as to what its form will be five, ten or twenty years hence. Surely, even Loyola Alumni are ready to accept a bit of future shock.

As I see it the Alumni Association should be seeking to serve the University academically and economically. We have taken some strides in academic and para-academic circles; economically we have not done our job — Loyola Alumni are, and have been, by and large, notoriously poor givers.

The task of getting Alumni involved is not easy to discharge especially in the first years after graduation when presumably graduates are most energetic. There are other commitments which interfere:— family, financial, professional and leisure commitments and concerns have a way of getting priority over Alumni Association activities. There is also a great tendency to assume that the old school will always be there and will function and flourish although a graduate may be less than energetic and less than devoted to do the job for the Alumni Association and for the University. I would like to think that in the next year we can devote more time and effort to getting our graduates involved academically and economically. I would also prefer if the Association devoted its energy to looking forward rather than backward. If this means that our direction will be to seek an Alumni involvement on a Concordia level rather than a Loyola level then I personally would have no objection. We may find that we would all like to encourage such a course and tend to be less introspective than we have demonstrated ourselves to be in the past.



# OYSTERS & SPECIAL FUND SET FOR OCTOBER 3

The 28th Alumni Oyster Party will be held on Friday, October 3, at 8:00 P.M. in Loyola's Hingston Hall.

Chairman of the event is Robert Bourgault '63 and committee members are Frank McNally '67, Robert Shaughnessy '65 and Elaine Boyce '75.

This year's **Special Fund Draw** will be held at the Oyster Party.

Survival of Alumni activities requires funds, and the chief source of income is the Special Fund Draw. Tickets are \$10. each. First prize is \$3,000; second prize \$1,000; third-prize \$500; and ten fourth prizes of \$100. The distributor (seller) of the winning ticket claims 10% commission. There are 1500 tickets for sale. Income tax receipts are issued to buyers.

All members of the Association are urged to participate in the Draw. Sell tickets, buy tickets, urge relatives, friends and neighbours to get involved.

For further information on the Oyster Party and Special Fund Draw contact the Alumni Office at 482-0320 Local 402.



Robert Bourgault

## GOLF CANCELLED

The annual Alumni Golf Tournament scheduled for each September will not be held this year. The Royal Montreal Golf Club is unable to accommodate the Alumni Association due to the playing of the Canadian Open on their course.

Arrangements are underway to secure the Royal Montreal for September 1976.

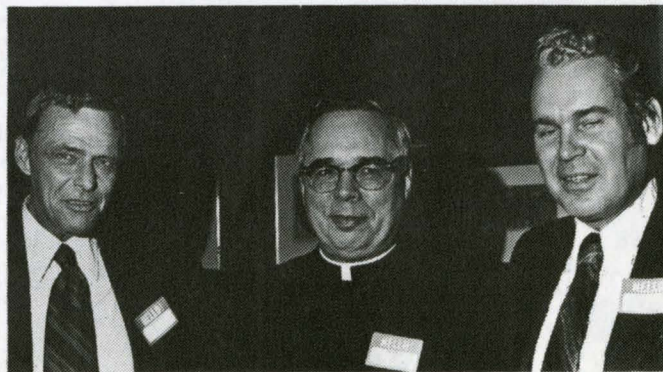


Cuthbert Scott

## Snap Shots from Alumni Ottawa Spring Reception



Left to Right: Marg Barrett, John Kearney, Frank O'Connor, Dr. J. O'Brien, Ken Richardson.



Left to Right: Ted Rooney, Father P. G. Malone, S.J., Stirling Dorrance.



# ALUMNEWS

## NEWS

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**Joseph Hand** has received a Diploma in Education this year from McGill University.

**Pierre Vidal** is working at the Ontario Ministry of Transportation and Communication in Broadcasting policy-making. He will marry Susan Ryder, September 13 in St. John's United Church, Pointe Claire.

**Vera Serbyn (nee Shubak)** is a counsellor at Career Girl Personnel.

'72

**Brian Del Castilho** has completed a Master's Degree in guidance counselling from McGill University. He is working at the St. Hubert Federal Armed Forces Base Combined High School. Brian and his wife, **Tina Treanor '72** have a two year old daughter.

**Bernard Edgington** was a member of the Concordia History Course which recently toured Southeast Asia and the People's Republic of China. The photographs and the tapes made during the trip will be available in the archives department of Sir George Williams Campus.

'71

**Patrice Armand** and his wife **Jackie LaHaut '72** have moved from Quebec City to Port-au-Prince, Haiti, and are now operating a new luxury restaurant, Le Belvedere.

**Arie Nadler** has received an M.Sc. in Mathematics from Concordia. He is teaching at Dawson College and has entered the M.A. program in Educational Technology at Sir George Williams Campus.

**Bruce Perreault** has received an LLB from McGill University, and is articling with a law firm in Toronto.

'68

**Terry P. Coleman** has been appointed Vice-President, technology, industrial and export sales at Bovril (Canada) Limited. He will be responsible for finance, production, warehousing and distribution.

'67

**J. Eric Diehl** has left his teaching post at Vanier College to live in Sweden with his family. He is a Ph.D. candidate in Romance Languages at the University of North Carolina and now plans to take a degree in music (classical guitar and lute).

'66

**Joe Guerriero** has been elected Coordinator of the Mathematics and Science Department at Dawson College for second term.

'63

**Maurice J. Colson**, a former director general of revenue on the Olympic Organizing Committee responsible for marketing the '76 Olympic logo to official suppliers, is now a director of Austin Page's Olympic coin program in Ottawa.

**Dr. Philip Shea** has returned to private practice in Hamilton, Ontario, after spending two years teaching in the Department of Family Medicine at McMaster University.

'61

**Dr. Joseph E. Gervay** was promoted to Senior Research Chemist at Du Pont Company's Photo Products Department Photopolymer Systems Research laboratory, New Jersey.

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**John Ganley** has received a posting through the Canadian International Development Agency to teach in a community college at Kingston, Jamaica for two years. John, Rosemary and their three sons leave in August.

'46

**Paul Paré** has been elected a director of Canadian International Paper Co.

'36

**Rev. William Mackey, S.J.**, for the past eleven years has been in charge of a school and is also an educational advisor to the Bhutan Government.

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**Dr. T. Ivan Guilboard** has volunteered to serve on the Caribbean Dental Plan under C.I.D.A. Dr. Guilboard and his wife will be at St. Jude Hospital, Vieux Fort, St. Lucia, Windward Islands for July and August.

## MARRIAGES

**Robert Beriault '72** and **Deborah Kennedy '73** married May 24 in St. Augustine's Church, St. Bruno.

**Ronald Irving Foreman '69** and **Beverly Jo Folger, R.N.**, married May 19 in Middlebourne, West Virginia.

**Nancy C. Bradley '71** and **Michael T. Masella** married June 7. Nancy has completed an M.Ed. at McGill.

**David L. Savage '72** and **Glenna Watson** married March 22. They are living in Richmond.

## BIRTHS

**De Benedetti**, to **George '62** and **Angelica** a daughter, **Christina Louise**, April 6 at the Moncton City Hospital. Sister for **Monica Catherine**.

**Kilcullen**, to **John '66** and **Evelyn (nee Dabrensky)** a daughter, **Jennifer**, December 30 at the Grace Hospital, Winnipeg. Sister for **Karen**.

**Mayne**, to **Jim '68** and **Guylaine (nee Durivage) '69** a daughter, **Julie Anne**, April 2 at Toronto.

**Mihic**, to **Frank '68** and **Eileen (nee Bacon)** a son, **Kurt**, March 4 at the Queen Victoria Hospital, Revelstoke, B.C. Brother for **Denise** and **Karl**.

**Sabo**, to **John '69** and **Beverly (nee Evans)** a daughter, **Cassandra Lynn Marie**, October 15 at the Montreal General Hospital. Sister for **Kimberley**.

**Shea**, to **Dr. Philip '63** and **Eileen (nee Ahearn)** a daughter, **Theresa**, May 31, at Hamilton. Sister for **Jim Dan**, **Tom** and **Lisa**.

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